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ATIONAL BODIES

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1. IN REVIEW ING MY NOTES OF MY CONVERSATION WITH PRIME
MINISTER HUSSEIN PRIOR TO THE RECENT VISIT OF THE VICE
PRESIDENT, I REALIZED THAT THE REPORTING TELEGRAM (REF A)
DID NOT RECORD A BRIEF DISCUSSION OF THE PUERTO RICAN ISSUE.

2. IN WRITTEN NOTES WHICH I PREPARED FOR THE PRIME MINISTER
IN ADVANCE TO FACILITATE TALKS, I NNOTED THAT COUNTRIES
HOSTILE TO THE UNITED STATES WERE ATTEMPTING TO MANIPULATE
THE SOLIDARITY OF THE NON-ALIGNED NATIONS IN THE UN AND
OTHER INTERNATIONAL BODIES TO PASS RESOLUTIONS ATTACKING
THE U.S. CUBA, I NOTED, WAS ATTEMPTING TO REVERSE A DECI-
SION OF THE UNGA REMOVING PUERTO RICO FROM A CATEGORY OF
A NON-SELF GOVERNING TERRITORY AND WAS TRYING TO GIVE STATUS
TO AN INDEPENDENCE GROUP THAT REPEATED FREE ELECTIONS IN
PUERTO RICO HAD SHOWN REPRESENTED A TINY MINORITY
OF THE PUERTO RICAN PEOPLE. SUCH ACTION, I SAID, WE
REGARDED AS INTERVENTION IN OUR INTERNAL AFFAIRS AND
WE HOPED MALAYSIA WOULD OPPOSE SUCH EFFORTS IN THE
NON-ALIGNED COUNCILS.

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3. AT THE END OF OUR TALK WHICH HAD GONE OVER THE
SCHEDULE TIME, I SAID I WAS SORRY THERE HAD NOT BEEN
AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS THE PUERTO RICAN PROBLEM.
THE PRIME MINISTER SAID THAT HE HAD READ NA NOTES ON
THE SUBJECT, UNDERSTOOD OUR POSITION, AND WOULD TRY
TO BE HELPFUL.
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